

PROVINCIAL TAX CASE IS BEGUN IN COURT OF APPEAL

Calgary and Edmonton Land Co. Appeal From Decision of Supreme Court of Alberta That Province is En- titled to Collect Taxes on Land Grant of Calgary and Edmonton Railway Company.

Edmonton, May 19.—In the Court of Appeal the Calgary and Edmonton Land Company vs. The Attorney-General of Alberta, was taken up. The question raised is in respect of the right of the Province of Alberta to tax the ungranted lands forming part of the railway of the Calgary and Edmonton railway. A preliminary objection was taken to the jurisdiction of the court to entertain the appeal. The system provided in the Alberta statute an official receiver to receive and value lands to be taxed under it. The court held that the system was valid and that the lands in question were liable to be taxed under it. The court also held that the system was valid and that the lands in question were liable to be taxed under it. The court also held that the system was valid and that the lands in question were liable to be taxed under it.

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Mexico City, May 19.—Although government officials deny knowledge of any plot to capture or assassinate Francisco I. Madero, the revolutionary leader, the news of the plot has caused Madero to postpone his trip to the capital. Madero is said to be in hiding in the city of Mexico.

COMMISSIONERS REPLY TO THE CHARGES MADE BY ALDERMEN

Commissioners Burtch and Hutch have submitted to Mayor Armstrong the following replies to the charges made by the aldermen. The replies are said to be satisfactory to the aldermen. The charges were made in a public meeting held in the city of Edmonton.

Opposition Members Block New Grain Bill On Demand From Grain Dealers in Alberta.

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STRATHCONA NEWS

LOCALS.

John Ross, one of Edmonton's oldest citizens, has purchased the handsome residence of H. H. Ross, at Second street and First avenue north. The price paid for the house and two lots is \$200. Mr. Ross will move to Strathcona where he will in future reside.

Charles Scarborough has joined a survey party who will work during the summer in the Maple Creek district.

A special meeting of the Holy Trinity Church guild will be held on Monday afternoon at four o'clock.

The Strathcona members of the association committee, it is understood will stand firm on their request for a guarantee of street car extension to a number of existing parts of Strathcona.

The meeting which was to have taken place in the Young Men's Club rooms next Sunday afternoon, has been postponed one week in order that members may be allowed to attend the "Men and Religion" meeting at the Edmonton Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. At the north side meeting addresses will be given by Rev. Patterson, J. W. Ward and W. W. Chalmers. The postponed meeting at the Y. M. C. A. will be addressed by A. E. O'Brien.

Amongst the buildings for which permits have been issued in Strathcona recently are the following: Chas. Hodges, Edmonton, frame cottage, Second avenue north, between Second and Third streets east; H. E. Palmer, dwelling on Sixth avenue N., west to cost \$1,000; John Strickman, cottage on Seventh avenue north, west to cost \$1,200.

Police Stop Bout

New York, May 19.—Police interference brought the National Amateur boxing tournament in Madison Square garden to a halt tonight, after one bout had been decided. The police and the bout were in violation of the law, as tickets had been sold to gentlemen of the Pacific A. C., which had surrounded the tournament.

THE CANDIDATES IN NOVA SCOTIA CONTEST

Provincial Elections Take Place June 14.—Candidates Chosen—Results of Last Election.

The legislature of Nova Scotia has been dissolved and the date of the elections has been set for Wednesday, June 14, with nominations on June 7. The legislature has run its full five years, and the standing of the parties at dissolution was 22 Liberals and 1 Conservative.

The present outlook is that the alignment of parties will not be materially altered at the polling.

The Murray government has established notable records in progressive administration and advanced legislation. It is proposing to the people a programme of completing the railway system of the province and a policy of building permanent highways after a thorough investigation as to the best methods adapted to conditions. The opposition is making a vigorous campaign, but it has no definite policy and is actually going into the fight without a leader.

Many Years of Liberal Rule.

The Murray government, which is appealing to the electors, dates from July 28, 1894. It is, however, successor to preceding Liberal governments.

In 1882 the Liberals carried the province in a provincial election, and formed a government under the premiership of the late William T. Piper. In 1884 he was succeeded by W. E. Fielding, who retained the premiership until 1894, when he joined Sir James Macdonald as minister of finance. He was succeeded as prime minister by the Hon. George H. Murray, who has since held office and been returned to power by the electors at general elections held in 1897, 1901 and 1906.

The government is constituted as follows:

Premier and provincial secretary, George H. Murray.

Attorney-general, A. H. Maclean. Commissioner of public works and mines, C. P. Chisholm.

There are also six ministers without portfolios.

Candidates Nominated.

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Hants—Dr. J. W. Reid and George Wilson, Liberal; Albert Parsons and P. M. Fiddling, Conservative.

Colchester—Hon. H. E. Pearson and Davidson, H.H. Liberal; Frank Campbell and R. H. Kennedy, Conservative.

Cambridge—J. L. Hallett, K.C. and Captain A.C. Liberal; C. D. Smith, K.C. and J. P. Gilroy, Conservative.

Pictou—R. M. Macgregor, R. P. Mackay, and Arch. MacKenzie, Liberal; C. E. Tanner, J. M. Ingle and J. L. Robertson, Conservative.

Natashquan—Hon. C. P. Chisholm and P. B. Trotter, Liberal; (No Conservative candidates nominated).

Guysborough—J. C. Poiry and Dr. J. P. Ellis, Liberal; Dr. T. McNutt and Captain Wells, Conservative.

Richmond—Dr. C. P. Bisset and Simon Joyce, Liberal; A. Landry, Conservative.

Inverness—Hon. James Macdonald and Daniel MacPherson, Liberal; Dr. C. E. MacMillan and H. Gallant, Conservative.

Victoria—Hon. G. H. Murray and A. Buchanan, Liberal; Dr. J. L. Robertson and Duncan Macdonald, Conservative.

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Mr. A. G. Walker, contractor of the bridge, intends to begin the work on Monday. Dr. T. J. will speak at the Men's Home meeting in the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow to discuss new religious and forward movements at 8:30 o'clock.

The military grade was exemplified at Namany Lodge No. 41, which on Monday evening in their hall, corner of Namany and Grosvenor streets, all members of the Y. M. C. A. on Monday morning at eleven o'clock. Important business is to be transacted.

One of the officials of the provincial health department was engaged yesterday in the inspection of the books of the isolation hospital. This inspection is undertaken periodically in view of the grant made to the hospital by the government.

Mrs. McIlroy of Belfast, Ireland, is a guest at the Windsor Hotel. Mrs. McIlroy arrived in the city on Thursday evening and has made the trip to Edmonton to visit her son James McIlroy, of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, who has been laid up in hospital for two months past with severe attack of German measles.

VIOLIN RECITAL

A recital under the auspices of the musical department of Alberta college will be given in the old McElbow church on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The program will be given by the pupils of Mr. C. J. Marshall, with piano and vocal artists. The public are invited.

ALBERTA WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the Alberta Women's Association was held on Saturday May 13th in the hall of the following officers were elected for the coming year—Mrs. J. H. Brown, president; Mrs. J. H. Brown, vice-president; Mrs. J. H. Brown, secretary; Mrs. J. H. Brown, treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Brown, auditor; Mrs. J. H. Brown, delegate.

BUILDING PERMITS

Permits for three residences were issued by the building department of the city on Monday. The permits were issued to Mr. J. H. Brown, Mr. J. H. Brown, and Mr. J. H. Brown.

S. K. E. FOOTBALL TEAMS

The S. K. E. senior team will play the Calgary on Sunday May 21st at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The team will be coached by Mr. J. H. Brown.

SUNDAY TEMPERANCE MEETING

The programme arranged by the committee in charge of the Temperance Society of the city will be given on Sunday May 21st at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The programme will be given by the pupils of Mr. J. H. Brown.

CHARGE OF FALSE PRETENCES

J. E. Parsons and E. F. Hillebrand, partners in lumbering operations, came up for trial in the Supreme Court this morning before Mr. Justice Macleod on charges of securing goods under false pretences. The plaintiffs were J. H. Brown, J. H. Brown, and J. H. Brown.

The charges were of procuring by false pretences in March 1911, goods to the value of \$200 from J. H. Brown, general merchant at St. Charles. The charges were of procuring by false pretences in March 1911, goods to the value of \$200 from J. H. Brown, general merchant at St. Charles.

The trial is being continued this afternoon. George Peck, of Edmonton, who was yesterday afternoon on a charge of false pretences was acquitted. The court held that there was no ground for a criminal charge, though the complainant, a literary establishment of Edmonton, might sue for payment on an account.

The Burnham Lake which is now being held at 445 Namany avenue, will continue on Monday and Tuesday. There open this evening until ten o'clock.

POLICE COURT

After an evening session in competition for the favors of one of the fair ladies, who attended the social held on Monday evening in Mitchell & Co's hall, the court was called to order by the judge. The court was called to order by the judge. The court was called to order by the judge.

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The first financial statement of the Edmonton Portland Cement Company should show a natural surplus on fair values of more than 100 per cent of the capital stock of the Company, and should give the shares of the Company an immediate market value of \$200. This is the most important business opportunity this community has ever had, and public spirit should insure the complete financing of the enterprise within ten days.

ARTICLE NUMBER TWELVE

This article concludes the series which has been published from day to day in all of the daily papers of Edmonton during the past two weeks.

The aim of these articles has been educative. The one purpose has been to inform the public as to just what the Edmonton Portland Cement Company means. Every essential fact of this great enterprise has been fully and fairly stated. And the people of Edmonton and vicinity now realize the meaning and importance of this institution which will undoubtedly be the most important Industrial Enterprise, in Western Canada.

What the Edmonton Portland Cement Company Means

The Edmonton Portland Cement Company means an addition to the business of this city of at least \$1,000,000 per year.

It means keeping at home that vast sum of money which is now being sent to Eastern cement mills and paid to railroad companies for freight charges on cement which is now shipped to the Edmonton district from Ontario and elsewhere.

It means a local supply for a market which is now paralyzing the construction operations of this entire district by reason of a cement famine. There is not a bag of Portland Cement in Edmonton today. Work now under construction would immediately absorb 25,000 barrels in twenty-four hours. At Calgary which has two cement mills, work is standing still and 300 men are idle on wages at \$3.00 per day, because there is not a bag of Portland Cement to be had in that city. The leading dealers in Portland Cement both at Edmonton and Calgary, Messrs. Gorman, Clancey & Grindley, Ltd., have authorized the statement that they need 25,000 barrels of Portland Cement at Ed-

monton and 49,000 barrels at Calgary for most urgent orders now in their hands which they cannot fill.

The Edmonton Portland Cement Company is the product of two facts that are purely local:

Local Conditions Remarkably Advantageous.

One is the discovery of the greatest marl deposit on the American Continent and an inexhaustible bed of the very best cement clay within five miles of each other.

The other fact is construction work in the City of Edmonton and to the North and West of here which is only just beginning and which will consume at least 400,000 barrels of Portland Cement per year indefinitely.

The local market price of Portland Cement is fixed by the cost of production at Eastern mills plus freight charges to this district. At present it is about \$3.12, and contractors are begging for cement at that price. It will never be lower.

It remains only to be said that if this situation existed in Winnipeg or any other city where the progressive spirit is more active and where splendid commercial opportunities are more quickly appreciated, the enterprise would have been financed within a week. People would have jumped at the chance.

Edmonton Needs the Enterprise.

Edmonton needs this institution far more than it needs any other single enterprise. Everyone knows that this city should go to a population of 100,000 within five years. The amount of building which this means is something colossal. It means the building here of two other cities as large as this. The making of Edmonton will require more cement than the Edmonton Portland Cement Company can produce.

The whole proposition sums itself up in a single sentence the Edmonton Portland Cement Company can manufacture cement for 78 cents a barrel, sell its

output at its mill door for \$3.05 and, running at twenty per cent. below its capacity, it can earn for its shareholders a dividend of 40 per cent. on its capital stock.

There is no question of the market. One firm will readily take the entire output of the mill.

The engineer is now on the ground and the work preliminary to construction is now under way. The work will now be pressed as rapidly as possible and it is expected that the plant will be in operation in May of next year.

First Financial Statement will Double Value of Shares.

The financing of the enterprise should be completed within 30 days and when the Company begins operations in May next its balance sheet should be about as follows:

STATEMENT.

Assets.

Cash on hand for working capital . . .	\$ 170,000
Plant at cost	630,000
Raw materials purchased and sufficient for the manufacture of at least 12,500,000 barrels of cement at 20 cents per barrel	2,500,000
	\$3,300,000

Liabilities.

Capital stock	1,500,000
Surplus to shareholders	1,800,000

This is about the basis on which the shares should then go on the market—which should give them a value of at least \$200, which value would be well supported by the fact that the Company can pay a dividend of 40 per cent.

Shares are now offered to the public at par, \$100, payable on convenient terms. To the investor this means that upon an investment of \$100 he will have in one year a value of \$200 and thereafter a permanent income of 40 per cent. or 40 dollars a share.

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